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JAPANESE LOSS WAS EXTREMELY LIGHT

Both Sides Displayed the Most Ferocious Courage.

REPORTS ARE STILL

VERY CONFLICTING.

THAT CHINA SUFFERED MOST IS
BEYOND QUESTION.

Neither the Japanese Nor Chinese
Legation at Washington Have
Received Any Advices as to the
Naval Engagement—Russia Appears Alarmed at the Prospect of
Japanese Success.

London, Sept. 20.—Dispatches received to day from Shanghai say the Chinese feet engaged in the battle fought off the month of the Yalu river consisted of twelve warships and four torpedo boats. The Japanese fleet was composed of seventeen ships, some of which were small vessels. The Chinese course and, with the flames bartsing from her, she she slowly settled.

A score of times the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese sought to break through the Chinese guns were able to stop them, and the Japanese ships for the Chinese ships had exthausted their ammunition during the list hour's fighting.

More than one of the Chinese ships had exthausted their ammunition during claim to have sunk the Japanese warships Abushima and Yossina, and a Japanese transport which had been Saiko. A private report from Shanghai declares that these vessels were not sunk, as the Chinese claim, but retired from action disabled. It is reported the Chinese transport Toonan was sunk after she landed the troops, but this is thought to be incorrect. The report that Admiral Ting and Colonel Von Hannekin were severely wounded seems incorrect, for they have both returned to duty.

Japanese Loss Light.

Yokohama, Sept. 20 .- Particulars received in regard to the battle at Ping Yang show that the Japanese lost only about eleven officers wounded and 260 soldiers killed. The Japanese army is marching on Wiju which, it is expectwill be reached by the end of Sep-

The Chinese lost 2,000 in killed and 14,500 in wounded and captured. The fourth part of the Chinese army es-

The Japanese fleet approached at full speed utill within range. Then they selvanced in columns, forming into two lines. Nine ironclad cruisers formed the fighting line, while three gunboats and five torpedo hoats formed the second line. Firing commenced forthwith. The guns on both sides were worked unceasingly at long range, and the hits were infrequent. The Japanese crept close and the gunners made better progress. The Ting Yien was the first to suffer, a shell bursting in her hattery. From the outset, the Japanese directed a powerful fire upon the Chinese battle-The Japanese fleet approached at full a powerful fire upon the Chinese battle, ships Chen Yuen and Ting Yuen. For minety minutes a terriblec amounde con-tinued. The result was that one Jap-anese cruiser, reported to have been the Saiko, was placed out of action. One Chinese officer declared he saw he

several times hulled and plerced upon the water line, while the Chen Yuen had stranded while trying to evade the Japanese torpedo boats. All attempts to float her had been trustrated by the

to float her had been frustrated by the fire directed upon her. Finally she burst into flames from shells.

The big guns of the Chen Yuen were disabled, but she remained in the fighting line, working her smaller and machine guns. The Tsi Yuen retired to beyond the lines, and the King Yuen was in a terrible plight. A shell burst through her decks and set fire to her and, with the flames bursting from her, she slowly settled.

Russin Will Not Falter.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 20.-The Novostim

day closer to the certain civil war, which will play havoc with prosperity which will play havoc with prosperity in 2:11, and many thought he would for a while, Bluefields has enjoyed a pace a great mile even if he failed to municipal election, and officers have beat his own record. Ed Geers was the been elected, but still martial law exhibits, for the simple reason that the driver. In the judge's stand was John lists, for the simple reason that the H. Leash, of Goshen, Ind., the owner Nicaraguans atempted to elect Americans to office without even taking the Chandler drove the running mate. Robert J made the first quarter in 39

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 20.—James P. Wright, an old railroad brakeman who lives at Fort Madison, Iowa, where Engineer Prescott of the Santa Fe, which was stopped by the train robbers near Gorin, Mo., a couple of nights ago, was taken after being wounded, had a long talk with Prescott.

"He told me," said Wright, "that the battle between the supposed train robbers and the detectives was very queer, and that he never would have been wounded if the detectives had not met the men who stopped on the engine with a well-directed shot. Prescott said that it was very strange that the detectives did not kill some of the would-be train robbers. Further than that, he said that after he was shot, he pointed out one han who was standing so close to the engine that he could have knocked him down with a lump of coal if his arms had not been rendered useless by his wound, and shouted to the detectives, "why don't you shoot that Telilow?" Then, he said, the detectives fired several shots at the men, and he noticed that the gun barrels were all pointed away above the level with the man's head."

Chinese officer declared he saw her sink.

In the meantime, the two big guns on the Chen Lueu were disabled and the other ships showed signs of dumage. Both fleets were ander easy steam, the Japanese manocuvering, while the Chinese held their original positions. Sundenly two of the Japanese craisers sought to break through the Chinese line on the starboard side. Three torpedo bosts swiftly pursued them.

The Chin Yuen and Chang Yuen went at full speed astern to avoid a catastrophe. The boats fired their tropedoes, but the nets shout the Japanese craisers stopped them. In the meantime, other guns were brought to bear upon the craisers, which are believed to have been the Aktivushima and the Yoshimo. They were beaten back by the weight of metal in an almost helpies state. Chinese officers declare both better, for the Chin Yuen had been

TWO-YEAR-OLD RECORD

Event Witnessed by Twenty Thousand Enthusiastic

People.

HIS PACE WAS A

2-year-old record down from 2:09 to 2:97%, and at the same time reduced his own record 24. Twenty thousand enthusiastic people witnessed the

commenting upon the situation in the east declares the victory of Japan will not make Russia falter in her strong resolve not to permit any annexation of Corea. The paper adds that the present condition of things favors European intervention with a view to bringing about cessation of the war, which is prejudicial to European commercial interests.

ONE DAY CLOSED.

Civil War Said to Be Certain in Meanagem.

New Orleans, Sept. 29.—The Associated Press correspondent in Bluefields, under date of September 15, says:

This is the independence day of Nicaragua, and it brings this land one day closer to the certain civil war.

It was the second special event of the extent of the second special event of the event. The track was heavy and no fast time made. Bluss and Sanger took part in only one race, in which Sarger finished second and Bliss, being packeted, dropped out. Cabanne and McGuffie collided in the one mile diamond race, class A, half mile, club championship—bred running mate. The pace was a remarkable one, showing a steady improvement. The first quarter was gone in 22; the half in 1.94½; the three-quarter was gone for a mile dash, class A—Robert well, with a more condition of things favore strong resolve in the strength of the certain in McDowell in Bluefields, under date of September 15, says:

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and acknowledge the ovation.

It was 5:10 o'clock when Robert J
was sent off on a second scoring. In a
warming heat he had made the circuit
in 2:11, and many thought he would

Louis:
First race, nine-sixteenths of a mile—Hylar won, Muldoon second, Jim Boyd third. Time—139.

Second race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile—Bine and White won, Hazel second, Tom Griffin third. Time—128.
Third race, three-quarters of a mile—Simpleton won. Unicorn second, Robert Latta third. Time—128.
Fourth race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile—Emblem won, Zeed second, Monsoon third. Time—1279.

Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile—Chartrense won. Sanblas second, Jardine third. Time—1396.

Hawthorne, Ill., Sept. 20.—Day fine track good; attendance 4.000. Henry Simons and his son Albert were ruled off the turf and all their horses entered for the day's races were scratched. Jacob Shouts and the horse Dan Kurtz was ruled off, the horse being discovered to be a "ringer," although his identity was not marked. proven.

First race, mile—Dockstader won, Paulus
second, Burrells Billett third. Time—1:46.
Second race, six furlongs—Debracey won,
pop_Gray second, Eagle Bird third. Time

won, Joe Murphy second, La Gascon third Time-2:42. Fourth race, seven furlongs-Diggs won Instalator second, Midas third. Time Fifth race, six furlongs—Tim Murph,

-1:18. Sixth ruce, six furlongs-Bryan wor Flora May second, Lucinda third. Tin Sport at Cincinnati.

Sport at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Sept. 20.—About 2,000 spectators enjoyed the races at Latonia today. The track could scarcely be worse. Out of 43 entries, there were 24 starters. In the second and third races there were four starters each, fourth and fifth five each and in the first, six. Favorites won third and fourth races. An even favorite won the first and a second choice won the second. The fifth went to a 10 to 1 shot. First race, seven furlongs—Balkine won, Prince Leo zecond. Captain T third. Time—1:179.

Second race, mile—Ciementine won. Say On second, Billon J third. Time—1:487.

Third tace, six furlongs—Lizzetta won, Molile R second, Charmion third. Time—1:189.

tentate won, Floreanna second, George Beck third. Time-155. Fifth race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile-Lady Buchanan won. Repeater second, Lilly of the West third. Time-1:13.

THE WHEEL.

Hydraulle Bykes That Promise to Grently Reduce the Present Speed

New York, Sept. 29.—Bicycle champions who flatter themselves that they have got records down to the lowest notch will doubtless be interested to learn that E. P. Holly, of Providence, has invented a hydraulic bleyele, which he claims can go at twice the speed of the present rac-ing machines. A local expert describes it as follows:

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HIS DRIVER. M'DOWELL, RECEIVES

AN OVATION.

Robert J. Falls Short in His Latest

Effort—Online Also Falls to Reduce His Own Time—"Ringers" Ruled From the Track at Hawthorne—Turf Evenis at the Various Racing Centres of the Country.

Galesburg, Ill., Sept. 20.—But one record was broken today, and that was by Monroe Salisbury's wonderful 2-year-old pacer Directly, who sent the system on the pedals will have twice the speed of the present racing machines. A local expert describes it as follows:

"The invention consists of a small motor three inches high. This contains a small pump. The pump in turn is connected with an eccentric, to which the pedals of the machine are fastened. A gear run by the power generated in the motor times upon a second gear. This arrangement takes the place of the chain strongement takes the place of the chain strongement takes the place of the chain strongement takes the place of the wheel attachment is its lightness. It is constructed largely of alluminum and weighs only three pounds. Water can be used in the motor in warm weather, and a mixture of alcohol and glycerine in cold weather. The liquid makes a circuit of the bleycle, beliquid makes a circuit of the bleycle, beliquid makes a circuit of the bleycle which is of the double-action variety."

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Williamsport, Pa., Sept. 20,—The Nat-lenal Circuit meeting of bicycle races DAMAGE DONE BY

Searle Was Delayed.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 20.-At 10 o'clock the following message was received from Cyclist Searle: "Batavia, N. Y., Sept. 20,
"Delayed by accident; pacemaker hurt
Will arrive in Rochester at 2 p. m. Have
set the folding mud guards ready for the
wheel."

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WILL HOWL FROM NOW UNTIL NOVEMBER.

Government, Will Be Unable to Support Its Native Population-

An Alleged Oregon Mine Owner in Trouble in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Sept. 20—Arma giving the name of A. A. Highton, gave a check on the Bank of Comperce of Buffalo, For a special car in which to come to Minneapolis, and was arrested here tonish ingress that Republican convention and more of a special car in which to come to Minneapolis, and was arrested here tonish ingress that Republican convention and the committee of several proposes. A stateries—Abbey and Schribert, Johnson, Schriber and Schriber, Johnson, Johnso

for the sake of enriching its political friend and benefactor, the colossal SURT OBSCENE MATTER very menace of which has destroyed confidence, ruined values, demoralized capital and starved labor.

NATIONAL LETTER CARRIERS.

Specific Charges Against Chairman Powers Made Public.

Cleveland, Sept. 20.-In the convention of National Letter Carriers today the enof National Letter Carriers today the en-tire morning was devoted to the hear-ing of the charges against Chairman J. C. Powers, of the legislative committee. The presiding officer found it almost im-possible to maintain order. There was a strong feeling that Powers would ulli-mately be vindicated. The specific charges are laxiness, neglect of duty and miscon-duct.

FOXES ARE BEING POISONED BY
WHOLESALE.

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Unless Something is Done to Check
the Evils, Alaska, Instead of
Being a Source of Revenue to the
Government, Will Be Unable

COTTON FIRM SUSPENDS.

THROUGH THE MAILS,

Wenrich, Publisher of the People. Indicted at Butte. Montana.

WILY COUNTERFEITER NABBED IN BUTTE.

MORE A. R. U. MEN HAVE BEEN DISCHARGED.

In Ordering Their Release, Judge Knowles Took Occasion to Say That the A. R. U. Was Composed of the Biggest Lot of Fools He Ever Heard of, and That Their Banding Together to Buck the Government Was Foolishness Almost Inconceivable.

United States grand jury this evening indicted J. P. Wenrich, publisher of The People, a sensational paper, for sending obscene matter through the mails. An indictment was also returned against George W. Darnold for having a large quantity of counterfeit silver dollars in his possession. Darnold is a member of a gang of counterfeiters who have been flourishing here for some time, but have so far escaped detection.

Judge Knowles' Compliments to the American Railway Union. Butte, Mont., Sept. 20.-[Special.]-The testimony in the A. R. U. contempt cases was concluded in the United States court

was considered in the United States court today and the arguments begin.

Two more defendants were ordered discharged because there was no proof against them.

The prosecution seems to have fallen flat. Charges of the most serious nature. flat. Charges of the most serious nature were positively denied by the prosecutions own witnesses. In dicharging some of the defendants, Judge Knowless said while there was no evidence to hold the men he wanted to say that the A. R. U. was composed of the biggest lot of fools even heard of, and that when they organized to buck the courts and the linited States government, they engaged in the most foolish piece of business conceivable.

Wanted Whisky, Not Money

Rawline, Wyo., Sept. 26.—[Special.]—Pete Johnson's saloon was entered trough the rear door last night and four bottles of champaigne and one quart of whisky taken. It is believed to have been the work of thirsty hobes. The cash drawer, which contained several dollars, was not touched.

Probably Fatal Accident. Rawlins, Wyo., Sept. 20. [Special.]— Last evening the 3-year-old son of John Gunning fell from the top of a high board fence on to the lower iron fence, one of the points penetrating his lowels just be-low the ribs on the right site. The lad may recover, though the wound is dan-gerous.

AFFER MANY DAYS. Murderer of Constable Studdard Ar-

rested-Heed Gets Five Years. Chicago—20. Base hits, 15; errors, 3. Philadelphin—4. Base hits, 9; errors, 8. Batteries—Abbey and Schriber; Johnson, Schrible and Buckley. Umpire—Lynch.

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Pittsburg—10. Base hits, 18; errors, 2. Batteries—Menefee and Mackle; Rune and Farrell. Umpire—Betts and Gaffacy in the purchase of a wild pitch. Boston won the game in the third inning on two hits and three errors by the Colonels. Score:
Louisville—3. Base hits, 6; errors, 8. Boston—4 Base hits, 7; errors, 2. Batteries—Inks and Cole; Nichols and Ganzel. Umpire—Keefe.

TWO THOUSAND STRIKE

schribe at will be murder of Constable David Stockant at Beaver canyon on August 24, 1800. The Italian nearly decaptated the officer with a razor. He excapted, and a posse went in pursuit. When the pursuers returned, they gare out the impression they all lynched the fugative, and it has been agreement the officer with a razor. He excapted and a posse went in pursuit. When the pursuers returned the officer with a razor. He excapted and a posse went in pursuit. When the pursuers returned, they gare out the impression they all lynched the fugative, and it has been agreement to complicitly in the crime. Judge Albert Heed, a former United States district attorney was today sentenced by Judge Beauty at Blackfoot to five years in the penitentiary. Heed was postmaster at Albion, being appointed by Cleveland. He got to samiling and embezzied \$1,000. When detected, he fled and was captured a few weeks ago while visiting a brother in Ohio. Heed pleaded guilty.

North Carolina Democrats Are Endeavoring to Awaken Renewal. Boise, Ida., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—Guis-sippo Glanes has been arrested in Port-land, Ore., for the murder of Constable

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.-The state co Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.—The state convention of Democratic clubs met in this city today. The principal object of the convention appears to be a desire to awaken renewed interest in the early construction of the Nicaraguan canal.

Resolutions were passed that the Democrats of North Carolina demand the construction of the Nicaraguan canal by American capital under American control, and asking their Democratic brethern in every southern and northern and western state to join with the Democracy of North Carolina in an unanimous and unmistable demand upon the general government for the construction of the American interocean canal.

SUCCESS TO THE TIMES.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 20 .- The Scranton Times, one of the leading newspapers of northern Pennsylvania, and the only Democratic daily paper in Lackawanna county, has been purchased by William B. Hell and Samuel E. Hudson, well-known correspondents of Washington, who have signed a ninety-year contract with the Associated Press, receiving full leased wive service. lleased wire service.